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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Inventor: Koji Nakamichi, et al.  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated September 11, 2009, setting a three-month period for response, please amend the above-identified application as follows: